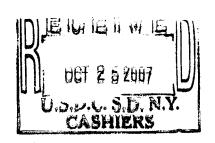
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JUDGE CASTEL

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

BOCIMAR INTERNATIONAL N.V.,

Plaintiff,

-against-

ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL IRON AND STEEL CO. SAE, d/b/a and/or a/k/a, AL EZZ DEKHEILA STEEL CO. – ALEXANDRIA; and AL EZZ DEKHEILA STEEL CO. -ALEXANDRIA, d/b/a, a/k/a, and/or f/k/a, ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL IRON AND STEEL CO. SAE,

Defendants.

RULE 7.1 STATEMENT

Plaintiff, BOCIMAR INTERNATIONAL N.V., by and through undersigned counsel, Law Offices of Simon Harter, Esq., and pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, certifies that its parent corporation is Compagnie Maritime Belge N.V., and that no other publicly-held corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.

Dated: October 24, 2007

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